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PETITION FOR A ONE MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Sir:

Applicant petitions for a one month extension of time, extending the period of response until **July 29, 2002**.<sup>1</sup> A one month extension fee by a large entity in the amount of \$110.00 is being submitted herewith in accordance with 37 CFR §1.17(b).

It is respectfully submitted that the Patent Office mailed the Final Rejection on March 20, 2002. Applicant mailed a Response After Final Rejection on May 17, 2002 within the two month period of response under the after-final practice of the Patent Office. The THREE-MONTH statutory period of response expired on June 20, 2002. The Patent Office mailed an Advisory Action on June 28, 2002, which is after the THREE-MONTH statutory period of response. Accordingly, the time period for measuring an extension of time for a further response is from the mailing date of the Advisory Action, i.e. June 28th, so Applicant's CPA

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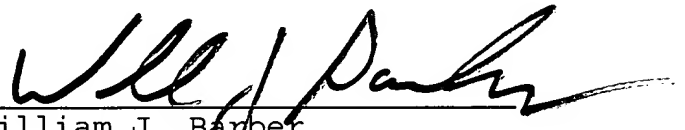
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application is filed within the one month extension period for a further response.

Applicant also conditionally petitions for any further extension of time necessary to file a Continued Prosecution application (CPA) in the event that an additional extension of time is necessary.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge deposit account no. 23-0442 for any petition fee necessary to maintain the pendency of the aforementioned application and to file a CPA application.

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